

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of		MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS
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Application No.: 10/618,779 )		Examiner: Unassigned
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For:	POLYNUCLEIC ACIDS ISOLATED FROM A) PORCINE REPRODUCTIVE AND RESPIRATORY SYNDROME VIRUS (PRRSV) AND PROTEINS ENCODED BY THE POLYNUCLEIC ACIDS	

## REQUEST TO USE COMPUTER READABLE FORM FROM PARENT APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e)

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Sir:

The computer readable form in the above-identified application is identical with the computer readable form filed on September 1, 1994 in parent Application Serial No. 08/301,435, now U.S. Patent No. 6,592,873. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e), Applicants respectfully request that the computer readable form filed in parent Application Serial No. 08/301,435, now be used as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the United States Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary changes in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing was incorporated into the specification at pages 175-243 as filed on July 15, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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